operation of foreign universities/institutions imparting technical education in India, Public Notices have been issued by AICTE in leading newspapers and displayed on the AICTE website cautioning students about unapproved institutions. The Medical Council of India (MCI) also issues advertisements from time to time in leading newspapers cautioning the public at large about admissions in any foreign institutions not approved by the MCI, and not to get deceived by any misleading advertisements.

A legislative proposal for regulating the entry and operation of foreign educational institutions, in India is under consideration of the Government.

Enrollment against OBC quota in DCE

†194. SHRI RAJNITI PRASAD: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether it is a fact that there has been no enrollment against OBC quota in Delhi College of Engineering;

(b) if so, the reasons therefor;

(c) whether Government has taken any initiative for compliance of reservation provisions by the University and Delhi Government;

(d) if so, the current status thereof; and

(e) the action being taken by Government to ensure enrollment against reservation quota and by when the enrollment would be complete?

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (SHRIMATI D. PURANDESWARI): (a) Yes Sir.

(b) Delhi College of Engineering even though affiliated to the University of Delhi is fully maintained and funded by Government of National Capital Territory of Delhi (GNCTD) and is, therefore, not covered under the Central Educational Institutions (Reservation in Admission) Act, 2006.

(c) to (e) Do not arise.

Redefining creamy layer

195. SHRI KALRAJ MISHRA: Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:

(a) whether in view of the rise in inflation during the last four years since 2004, when the creamy layer was last determined, and the rising prices, Government has undertaken an exercise to redefine the "cream" in "creamy layer", in the light of the Supreme Court decision regarding reservation of seats in the Universities and higher educational institutes like IIMs and IITs; and

(b) if so, what is the redefined concept of creamy layer, and the steps taken or being taken to link it with the value of the Rupee?

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†Original notice of the question was received in Hindi.